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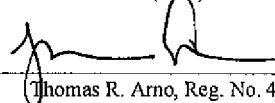
Applicant : Edman et al.
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 MINIMIZE REJECTION OF
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 MATERIALS
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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**Mail Stop AF**

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 14, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests consideration of this application in view of the following remarks and amendments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.